

Roles of National Cooperative Soil Survey Partners

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National Cooperative Soil Survey Partnership

- Federal
- State
- Local
- Private

Roles of NCSS Partnership

– NRCS

- Lead for NCSS Standards & Interpretations
- Mapping Non-Federal and Native American Lands
- Corporate Soil Database
- Distribute Soil Information by Web Soil Survey

National Cooperative Soil Survey Partnership

- Private Consultants
- Agricultural Experiment Stations
University Partners
- Local Units of Government
- Federal Land Agencies
- State Units of Government

Roles of NCSS Partnership

– NRCS

- MLRA Soil Survey Region Offices
- State Soil Scientist
- MLRA Soil Survey Offices
- Resource Soil Scientist

Roles of NCSS Partnership

- NRCS

- National Soil Survey Center
 - Standards
 - Interpretations
 - Technical Soil Services
 - Research and Lab

Roles of NCSS Partnership

- NRCS

- NCSS Liaisons

- South Region - Dr. Karl Hipple
 - North East Region - Dr. Chris Smith
 - North Central Region - Dr. Bob Ahrens/Dr. Larry West
 - West Region - Dr. Craig Ditzler
 - Maxine Levin - NHQ - Overall Coordination

Roles of NCSS Partnership

– NRCS

- Regional Technology Centers
- World Soil Resources
- National Cartographic & GIS Center
- National Geospatial Development Center

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- Agricultural Experiment Stations
- State Land Grant Universities
- 1890 Colleges and Universities

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 - Support of Soil Survey - Planning & Action

Roles of NCSS Partnership

– NCSS Advisory Group

- Toby O'Geen
- Mary Collins
- Joey Shaw
- Mickey Ransom
- Jim Thompson
- Curtis Monger
- Dick Arnold
- Larry Wilding

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We
ALL
Have A Role
in the
National Cooperative Soil Survey
for
Today and Tomorrow

Thank You

Questions ???



MLRA Soil Survey Offices - Implementation Status April 4, 2008

